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Dear Mr. King:

This letter acknowledges receipt of your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request August 8, 2013, submitted to the Transportation Security Administration (TSA), all documents, videos, and correspondence pertaining to any audits or site surveys conducted to test physical security at civil aviation airports. Your request was received in this office on August 19, 2013.

After careful review of your FOIA request, we determined that the request is too broad in scope or did not specifically identify the records which you are seeking. Please provide a description of the nature of your contact with TSA to assist in the scope of the search. Examples of such contact would be a description of the requested records, employment with TSA, application for or possession of a TSA credential, or a fine or citation issued by TSA. Additionally, if none of these apply and your only contact with the agency has been as a traveler passing through security checkpoints, please let us know. For this reason, the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) regulation, 6 CFR Part 5, §5.3(b), requires that you describe the records you are seeking with as much information as possible to ensure that our search can locate them with a reasonable amount of effort. Whenever possible, a request should include specific information about each record sought, such as the date, title or name, author, recipients, and subject matter of the records, if known, or the DHS component or office you believe created and/or controls the record. The FOIA does not require an agency to create new records, answer questions posed by requesters, or attempt to interpret a request that does not identify specific records.

Please resubmit your request containing a reasonable description of the records you are seeking. Your request will not be entered into our processing queue until we receive clarification from you. If you would like assistance with perfecting your request, please feel free to call Ms. Aeron Pineiro at (866) 364-2872.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Glenda Reynolds".

For Ms. Aeron J. Pineiro
Operations Manager